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*...ract of a Private Letter from* Paris, *dated* December 20/21, 1744.

'T now very plainly appears, 'that it was not the Influence 'of the Ducheſs de Chateau-'roux, but of a much greater 'Lady, which procured the 'Baniſhment of three Dukes 'and Peers; and that for an 'Affair of greater Importance 'than either amorous Quarrels, 'or Court Intrigues; an Affair ...of the higheſt Conſequence to the Peace of the ...dom, as it touches the very Being of the Conſti-..., and the Efficacy of thoſe Laws which are the ...of every Man's Actions, and even of their Con-..., as to Right and Wrong.

...ere is great Probability that this may be miſtaken, ...ifrepreſented, in foreign Gazettes, as is very often ...Caſe; and therefore, I think, I cannot either in-...you of any Thing more important, more cu-..., or more worthy of being communicated to the ...d, than the Nature of this Diſpute, which is now ...Criſis; and muſt, in its Conſequences, operate ...ly on our Affairs, as the Perſons of higheſt Rank ...e Kingdom are deeply intereſted on both Sides ...Queſtion, and are puſhing againſt each other with ...whole Force.

'The World knows that our late King, Lewis XIV. 'a moſt tender and affectionate Father; and that 'his Paternal Fondneſs, he legitimated, and ren-'dered capable of ſucceeding to the Crown, his Natu-'ral Children, the Duke de Maine, and the Count de ...ouze; granting them all the Honours and Prero-...es of the Princes of the Royal Blood. But after ...ceſſion of his preſent Majeſty, upon the Repre-...tions as well of the Princes of the Blood, as of ...Dukes and Peers of France, complaining of this ...lation as injurious to both, it was declared void. ...ſhall not trouble you with a long Detail of what ...done in the Affair, which is ſufficiently known; ...contenting myſelf with obſerving, that the King, by ...Declarations of July 1717, of Auguſt 1718, and ...April 1723, ſettled that Matter on the tendereſt ...moſt equitable Manner poſſible; reſtoring the ...ces of the Blood, and the Dukes and Peers, to ...juſt Rights; but reſerving to his Uncles, the ...e of Maine and Count de Toulouze, and afterwards ...the Prince de Dombes and Count d'Eu, the Prero-...es granted them, during their Lives only, and as ...Act of Favour.

'...pon the firſt Motion for a Marriage be-...en the Duke de Pentheivre and Mademoiſelle de ...ans, the Ducheſs, who has always had a great ...dency at Court, preſs'd for the Revival of Lewis ...XIVth's Edict, and the eſtabliſhing the Sons of the ...ded Marriage between the Duke and her Daughter, ...ces of the Blood; which, by unceaſing Importu-...it is believed ſhe has at laſt obtained. It was to ...but this extraordinary Regulation, that the Dukes ...Peers drew up a Memorial, which, had it not been ...their Baniſhment, would have been preſented by ...Noble Dukes in Diſgrace.

'...this Memorial it is ſet forth, that the Deſign of ...Legitimation is not only Injurious to the Princes ...the Blood, and the Peers of France, but directly ...rary to the Laws, and repugnant to the Principles ...down in the King's Edicts upon this Subject ex-...ly. In them it is plainly ſaid, that the eſtabliſh-...any ſuch new Honours, would prove a perpetual ...ce of Confuſion and Diſquiet. And tho', to pre-...the Indecency of degrading the Princes in Poſ-...ſion, they were continued for Life in the Enjoy-...of their Dignities, yet it was for this Reaſon, ...*ſuch an Enjoyment could draw no Conſequences.*

'...is further alledged, that the Favour granted to the ...ce de Dombes and Count d'Eu, cannot at all ju-...the intended Grant to the Duke de Pentheivre, ...his Poſterity; becauſe this was in regard to their ...ſſion of the Rank of Princes of the Blood, and not ...the Validity of the Edict; and if any ſuch Thing ...been intended in Favour of the D. de Pentheivre, ...ought then to have received it. Whereas, if it be ...for him now, the other Family will naturally ex-...a like Eſtabliſhment; and ſo the Firſt, and moſt ...come Act of his Majeſty's Government, be can-...d, and the old Edict, ſo often annulled, revived.

'...but what ſeems moſt extraordinary, is the doing ...when the Honours paid to a Son of France have ...extinguiſhed, without murmuring, in the Houſe ...of Orleans, now reduced on a Level with the Princes 'of the Blood. How abſurd to abaſe on one Side, and 'exalt on the other; as if no Maxims regulated the moſt 'ſolemn Acts of Government.

'It is true, ſay they, if Virtue and Merit could de-'ſerve this Favour, the Duke de Pentheivre's Title could 'not be diſputed. But Merit is rewarded by Eſteem, 'and not by a Rank annexed to Blood, which even 'Merit itſelf cannot beſtow; and at a Time, when the 'Nobility of France are expoſing theirs in the King's 'Service, they have Reaſon to hope his Majeſty will not 'be perſuaded to injure them in a Point much dearer 'to them than their Lives.'

*Tranſlation of a Letter from his Serene Electoral Highneſs of Cologne, to his Imperial Majeſty, dated from* Bonne, December 23, 1744.

'A little before your Imperial Majeſty's Requiſitorial 'Letter, dated the 24th of October laſt which was 'preſented to me laſt Night by your Miniſter, came to 'my Hands, I had received the annexed Requiſition from 'Marſhal Maillebois. Your Imperial Majeſty has been 'pleaſed to demand a bare Paſſage; whereas the ſaid 'Marſhal inſiſts upon Permiſſion for the Troops under 'his Command, to make ſuch Stay in the Country as 'they ſhall have Occaſion for. As I have before mine 'Eyes the ſad Example of what is paſſing in the Ter-'ritories of his Dilection the Elector of Mentz, altho' 'that Prince has had Recourſe to your Imperial Majeſty, 'and to your High Quality of Emperor, and inſtantly 'implored the Succour and Aſſiſtance, which by Virtue 'of the Capitulation ſworn to by your Imperial Majeſty, 'there was all the Reaſon in the World to expect from 'you, againſt the Oppreſſions of the Neutral States of 'the Empire, exercied by a Foreign Power, even in the 'Name of your Imperial Majeſty. This Example has 'determined me to make, and put in Execution, the Diſ-'poſitions that are conformable to the Conſtitutions of 'the Empire, in order to keep off the Invaſion with 'which I am openly threatned, and to ſatisfy the Ob-'ligation I am under, to provide for the Defence of my 'Country, and of my Subjects. Your Imperial Ma-'jeſty, according to your known Juſtice, will vouchſafe 'to approve the Meaſures which I have taken, and will 'not take it ill, that for the preſſing Motives above ſet 'forth, I have not been able to grant either a Paſſage, or 'Leave to halt, to the Troops of the King of France, 'eſpecially ſince in permitting the Firſt, it would be im-'poſſible to hinder the Latter. I have acquainted Marſhal 'Maillebois with this Reſolution in my Anſwer, a Copy 'of which I have the Honour to annex to this; as to the 'reſt, recommending myſelf, &c.'

*Tranſlation of the Elector of Cologne's Anſwer to Marſhal Maillebois, dated* Bonne, December 22, 1744.

SIR,

'I received laſt Night the Letter which you wrote 'to me upon the 18th of this Month. I knew as much 'as the moſt jealous Prince, what I owe to the Emperor, 'to the Empire, and to myſelf. The Meaſures which 'I have taken for the Support of my Dominions, appear 'to me the moſt conformable to this Obligation; by the 'Means of which, beſides the Neutrality, from which 'I ſhall not depart, I hope to remove from my Terri-'tories every Thing which might bring War upon them, 'or the Calamities which the neighbouring Electors, 'neutral as well as myſelf, experience under the ſame 'ſpecious Title which you alledge, in a War which 'does not in any Manner concern the Empire. Upon 'theſe Motives I cannot grant either the Paſſage, or the 'Stay which you demand of me, for the Troops which 'are under your Command. As I am beſides too well 'perſuaded of the Equity of the moſt Chriſtian King, 'I cannot figure to myſelf that his Majeſty would be 'willing to make uſe of Force; or that he can take it 'ill, that, in order to ſecure myſelf from Conſequences, 'whereof the above-cited Example renews my whole 'Attention, I ſhould make uſe of proper Methods, and 'ſuch as are preſcribed by the Laws of the Empire, for 'ſheltering myſelf from them.'

I am with Conſideration,
Sir, truly and entirely yours.

*Hague, December* 29. We hear from Hanover, that the Duke de Belleiſle, Marſhal of France, having croſſed (in coming out of the Territory of Eichsfeld) a little Diſtrict belonging to the Electorate of Brunſwick Lunenbourg, arrived the 20th in the Afternoon at Elbingerode, a ſmall Village of the Dependancy of the ſaid Electorate, in order to take freſh Relais of Horſes, which had been ordered for his Uſe by a Courier, who had preceded the Marſhal 24 Hours. The Bailiff of the Diſtrict having heard that a General of Diſtinction of the French Army was to paſs that Way, interrogated the Marſhal upon his Arrival, concerning his Quality, and whether he was provided with proper Paſſports; and he not concealing his being a Marſhal of France, and owning that he had no Paſſport, either for himſelf or his Retinue, amongſt whom was the Chevalier de Belleiſle, his Brother; the Bailiff, declared them all Priſoners of War, in the Name, and on the Part of his Britannick Majeſty, and cauſed them to be conducted, as they arrived, to Schartzfels, and from thence, as the Place was not proper for their Reception, to Oſterode. Upon the Road the Marſhal wrote a Letter to the Miniſtry of Hanover, dated at Heuhoff, the 21ſt Inſtant, complaining of his being ſeparated from his Domeſticks, which, as they write from thence, was only occaſioned by the Badneſs of the Roads, and Want of Horſes in that Part of the Country. The Marſhal added (in engaging his Parole of Honour) that he acknowledged himſelf, as alſo his Brother, Priſoners to the King of Great Britain, and deſired that the Miniſtry would ſend for his Majeſty's Orders with Reſpect to what had happened.

## *HOME PORTS.*

*Deal, December* 29. Came down his Majeſty's Ship Wager, the Plymouth Tranſport, Underwood, the Woolwich Tranſport, Warkrell, the Falcon, King, and the Hadley, Hardliſton, all for Plymouth; and remain with the Princeſs Louiſa, Harwich, Pearl, and Shoreham Men of War, with the Dutch Ships for Eaſt India. The Prince of Orange, Adams, is ſailed for the River. Arrived the Grenado Bomb, from a Cruize; the London Factor, Teague, for London from Virginia.

## LONDON.

The Lepaix, from Martinico, one of the Ships taken by the Kinſale Man of War, Capt. Young, was drove on ſome Rocks near Barnſtable, the 23d Inſt. and loſt; but it is hoped great Part of the Cargo will be ſaved.

Laſt Thurſday died, at her Houſe in Downing-ſtreet, Weſtminſter, the Lady of Colonel Horſey; who was appointed Governor of South Carolina, but died a few Days before he was to embark for that Province.

Laſt Friday died, after a ſhort Illneſs, at his Seat in Surry, Sir William Clayton, Bart. Member of Parliament for Blechingly, in the ſaid County. He is ſucceeded in Title and Eſtate by his eldeſt Son, Member for the ſaid Place with his Father.

Yeſterday being the firſt Sunday after Chriſtmas Day, the ſame was obſerved at Court as a high Feſtival; when the Knights Companions of the moſt Noble Order of the Garter, Thiſtle and Bath, appeared in the Collars of their reſpective Orders.

The Right Hon. the Lord Chancellor has appointed the Firſt General Seal before Hilary Term, to be held at Lincoln's Inn Hall on Saturday the 12th of January; and the Second General Seal to be held at the ſame Place, on the Saturday following.

A Diſpenſation has paſs'd the Great Seal, to enable Henry Croſſman, M. A. Chaplain to the Right Hon. the Earl of Jerſey, to hold the Rectory of Little Bromley, in the County of Eſſex, together with the Rectory of Little Cornard, in the County of Suffolk.

Laſt Week Mr. Thomas Machin, late Gentleman to Sir William Yonge, Bart. was appointed Office-Keeper at the War Office, Whitehall, in the room of Mr. Lloyd, deceas'd.

It is ſaid that the Right Hon. the Earl of Cheſterfield will ſpeedily embark for Holland, with a Commiſſion of Importance to the States General.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint William Pitt, Eſq; Member of Parliament for Old Sarum, to be Secretary at War, in the room of Sir William Yonge.

On Saturday the following Numbers were drawn Prizes in the State Lottery; viz. 53,071, 500 l. 1066, 28,805, 45,480, 100 l. each.

From the London Gazette.

His Majeſty having been pleaſed to deliver the Cuſtody of the Privy Seal to the Right Hon. John Lord Gower, the Oath of Keeper of the Privy Seal was, on the 27th Inſt. adminiſter'd to him, and his Lordſhip took his Place at the Board accordingly.

The ſame Day his Grace John Duke of Bedford, Firſt Commiſſioner for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, &c. was, by his Majeſty's Command, ſworn of his Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board likewiſe.

Philip Sharpe, Esq; was, by his Majesty's Command, also sworn one of the Clerks of his Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council in Extraordinary.

## BANKRUPT.

Daniel Nicholson, late of High Close, in the County of Cumberland, Chapman and Butcher.

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Admiralty-Office, December 22, 1744.

WHereas *by an Eſtabliſhment, which has been long in Force in the Royal Navy, a Schoolmaſter is allowed to each of his Majeſty's Ships of the Third, Fourth, and Fifth Rate, with the Allowance of Midſhipman's Pay, and Twenty Pounds a Year beſides for his Encouragement; but an Opinion having prevailed of late Years, that ſince the Erection of a Royal Academy at Portſmouth, for Educating and Training up Gentlemens Sons for his Majeſty's Sea Service, the Eſtabliſhment of Schoolmaſters has been aboliſhed, which Opinion being hurtful to his Majeſty's Service, by preventing Perſons from applying to be employed in that Capacity, and thereby depriving the Youth, who ſerve on Board his Majeſty's Ships, of the neceſſary Aſſiſtance for perfecting themſelves in the Art of Navigation: The Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty think proper to order this publick Notice to be given, that the Eſtabliſhment of Schoolmaſters on Board the Ships of the Royal Navy is ſtill in Force; and that if Perſons properly qualified, by having paſſed an Examination at* Trinity Houſe, *will apply to this Office, they ſhall meet with all due Encouragement, and be warranted as Schoolmaſters, on board ſuch of his Majeſty's Ships as may be in want of them. And that their Attendance at* Trinity Houſe, *in* Water-Lane, *in order to paſs an Examination, may be made as eaſy to them as poſſible, the Maſter, Wardens, and Aſſiſtants of that Corporation, upon any Perſon's offering himſelf to be examined, either on a Wedneſday or Saturday (which are their Board-Days) and producing the uſual Certificate, of his being a Perſon of a ſober Life and Converſation, and well affected to his Majeſty's Perſon and Government, will forthwith proceed to his Examination, and continue the ſame every enſuing Board Day.*

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WHICH infinitely excel all other Medicines ever offer'd to the Publick, or known in the World; for they directly cure Deafneſs, be it ever ſo bad, and all Thickneſs of Hearing and Noiſe in the Ears, almoſt at once, after all other Means have failed, and without Trouble or leaſt Uneaſineſs whatever, as many Thouſands have experienced.

They effectually remove all Pain occaſion'd by Cold, by the Tympanum or Drum of the Ear, free the auditory Paſſage from Obſtruction, and remedy all Defects of the Hearing in the moſt in an Inſtant, cauſing thoſe to hear exceeding well, who before were in a Manner totally Deaf.

Hundreds who were ſo very bad, as not able to hear when beat cloſe by them, and therefore deſpaired ever relieved, have been quickly and perfectly cured to their great Joy and Admiration.

In a Word, nothing in Nature can come near them for [illegible] and almoſt immediate Cure of DEAFNESS [illegible] what Cauſe ſoever; but the great Eſteem and Reputation juſtly gained for many Years paſt, have occaſion'd [illegible] Caſes) many Counterfeits to come abroad; beware [illegible] ſuch Impoſitions, theſe excellent and only true Specifick being to be had only, by the Author's Appointment, of [illegible] women at the two Blue Poſts in Haydon-Yard, in the [illegible] 3 s. 6 d. a Bottle, with Directions, and no where elſe in [illegible]

*The* RHEUMATISM

WITH which ſo many Perſons are grievouſly afflicted, and for which, various Methods [illegible] Bleeding, Purging, Bliſtering, Sweating, &c. have been undergone, and abundance of naſeous Medicines [illegible] without Effect, may yet be ſafely and perfectly cured in a few Days, by the only true chymical Specifick, called Anti Rheumatick Elixir, which occaſions no Confinement, nor gives any Trouble, but is agreeable to take, a few Drops only for a Doſe, cordial to the Stomach, and ſtrengthening the Nerves; eminently reviving and increaſing the Spirits, chearing all the Animal Faculties, and by attenuating the Blood and Juices, reſtoring a regular Circulation through the minuteſt Canals, and freeing them from obſtructing Impurities, takes off all Manner of Pain almoſt on the Inſtant, pleaſantly and moſt certainly cures the moſt confirmed Rheumatiſm, and all Rheumatick Pains in the Limbs, &c. whether fix'd or wandering, in a moſt ſurprizing Manner, without the leaſt Fatigue or Diſorder. What is here ſaid of this Medicine, is no Quack-Romance, but literally and [illegible] true, as vaſt Numbers have experienced, and of which one may be ſatisfied at the Place where only it is to be had, namely, at the Gentlewoman's at the Sign of the Crown, againſt the Church in Coleman-ſtreet, near Cheapſide, [illegible] at 3 s. 6 d. a Bottle, ſeal'd up with Printed Directions large.

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# The

*Copenhagen, December 13.*

ON Thurſday laſt two
of War, that have b
built here, were la
the Preſence of the
the Court. M. D'
the Hanoverian Mi
very aſſiduous in hi
tions to the Miniſtry
general Opinion he
he will carry his
a Body of 12,000 Men to enter into
ritime Powers, as ſoon as the Treaty
ng between this Crown and that of
ime. It is certain that the French h
new Negotiation at the Court of Swed
believed, that they have endeavoured
Court of Moſcow many Advantage
to the Houſe of Holſtein, by their
reaty of Union lately concluded at Fra
has been likewiſe ſet on Foot, for pr
of the Prince and Princeſs of Brun
derable Eſtabliſhment for them in Ge
lieved, that the Pains taken by France
e Sort of Schemes, are very far from
the Czarina. We are confirm'd in
Readineſs ſhewn by the Court of Mo
odate the Differences between this
ouſe of Holſtein, to the mutual Sa
rties, under the Guaranty of the Mari
e are aſſured, that a Treaty for this
ſtar advanced.

*re, December* 8. Prince Lobkowitz
ead Quarters in this Town; and hi
'd, not only in our Neighbourhood,
, and the adjacent Villages. They
, but in a very indifferent Conditi
t they will be quickly reinforc'd by
ween 6 and 7000 Men from Piedm
of Auſtrians that have lately lan
a conſiderable Number of Recr
the Van Guard of which are a re
the Bolognaſe. The Army of Spa
ed at Peruggia, Foligno, Aſſiſſi, a
a much better Condition than co
conſidering the great Hardſhips
their long Stay at Veletri; and as
ed a very conſiderable Supply of
peſſion to be made that they will
remount their Cavalry.

*gue, December* 25. It was generall
pon receiving our Elector's Letter
pon complying with the Demands
lebois, the French would have ap
to the Imperial Court, before the
nties; but the contrary is now ev
guard advanc'd, laſt Night, as far a
they proſecute their Deſign, th
before this City by To-morrow
Time, we have made all poſſible
fence; the Burghers are all un
n mounted on our Ramparts; a
in ſuch a Condition, as may
he French from becoming Maſt
the Arrival of the Succours we
of which are already within
eaſures taken by the French, up
be deciſive; that is to ſay, they
er the Neutral States of the Em
nger in that Condition, or be ob
ar, in which they have no C
ell or not.

*ſſels, December* 22. The Corps
ſt, after having been expoſed f
, was carried to the Church of
depoſited in the Vault in wh
Arch-Duke Albert, the Infanta
rince of Bavaria, her Serene H
, late Governeſs of theſe Counte
Ducheſs. The Inſcription ou
Coffin ran in the following Wo

Hic jacet reconditu
Auſtriacæ Gentis, et Generis h
Regia Hungariæ et Bohemia
Archidux Auſtriæ
MARIA AN
D. Caroli vi. Romanorum Im
MARIÆ THER